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2 FAM – General

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2 FAM 1260 REQUESTS FOR ECONOMIC INFORMATION/DATA

Changes

1. **2 FAM 1261, Clearance Procedures for Requests for Economic Information/Data**, paragraph b, several offices were renamed:
 - **Economic Public Diplomacy:** Office of Economic Policy and Public Diplomacy (EEB/EPPD/PD) was changed to Office of Economic Policy Analysis and Public Diplomacy (EEB/EPPD).
 - **General OECD Issues:** Office of Economic Policy and Public Diplomacy (EEB/EPPD/PA) was changed to Office of Economic Policy Analysis and Public Diplomacy (EEB/EPPD)
 - **Labor (Economic Data and Reports Request):** Office of Commercial and Business Affairs (EEB/CBA) was changed to Labor (Economic Data and Reports Request), Office of Economic Policy Analysis and Public Diplomacy (EEB/EPPD)
2. **Change Transmittal** has replaced the term Transmittal Letter. Change Transmittal was selected as being more appropriate in this age of electronic information transmission.
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